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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: Josef GREIF et al
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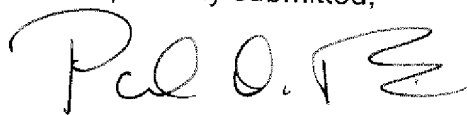
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Submitted herewith is a Preliminary Examination Report for the above-identified application.

No fee is believed to be due with this submission. However, if any fees are due, please charge any required fee (or credit any overpayments of fees) to the Deposit Account of the undersigned, Account No. 500601 (Docket no 7400-X05-126).

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Paul D. Bianco".

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